

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: CONTACTS WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF GOVERNMENTS  
LACKING RELATIONS WITH THE UNITED STATES

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1. EMBASSY APPRECIATES THE CLARIFICATION ON  
POLICY CONCERNING INVITATIONS TO AND CONTACTS  
WITH CUBAN AND VIETNAMESE OFFICIALS CONTAINED  
REFTELS. HOWEVER, IN LIGHT OF THESE DEVELOPMENTS,  
WE WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION OF CURRENT  
POLICY VIS-A-VIS A NUMBER OF COUNTRIES WITH WHOM  
THE US HAS NO DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS OR IN WHICH  
THE US EMBASSY HAS BEEN CLOSED, PARTICULARLY ON  
THE QUESTIONS OF EXCHANGING DIPLOMATIC NOTES AND  
EXTENDING INVITATIONS TO LARGE DIPLOMATIC  
FUNCTIONS SUCH AS THE FOURTH OF JULY. WE WOULD  
THEREFORE APPRECIATE UP-TO-DATE GUIDANCE ON  
APPROPRIATE TREATMENT OF THE DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES  
OF THE FOLLOWING COUNTRIES: ALBANIA, ANGOLA,  
CAMBODIA, EQUATORIAL GUINEA, IRAQ, MONGOLIA,  
NORTH KOREA, SOUTH YEMEN, AND UGANDA.  
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